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Summer Concert Series Returns to Central Park on July 8

Family-Friendly Music, Kids Activities Planned

Fremont, CA – June 24, 2010 – Fremont's Central Park will come alive with the sound of music when the 2010 Central Park Summer Concert Series, presented by its new title sponsor Washington Hospital Healthcare System, kicks off on July 8. Zoo Station, the highly acclaimed U2 cover band, is set to headline the first concert. All concerts will be held on Thursdays at Central Park's Performance Pavilion over a 6-week period, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

This year's series promises something fun for everyone. It will feature family-friendly music and the popular Kids' Corral zone, sponsored by the Newpark Mall Dental Group, complete with interactive games and crafts. Thanks to Washington Hospital Healthcare System, Dale Hardware, Newpark Mall Dental Group, Niles Rotary, and Bay Area Jump, each concert is free and open to the public. This year the concert series will feature Chaka's MMM Sauce specialty barbecue to purchase. Concert-goers may also bring their own food.

Concerts series schedule:

| July 8 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Zoo Station (U2 Cover Band) |
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| July 15 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Mersey Beach ('60s Party Band) |
| July 22 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Juke Box Heroes (Decades of Billboard Hits) |
| July 29 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | East Bay Mudd (Big Horn Band – R&B Hits) |
| Aug. 5 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Lava (Latin Jazz, Rock, Salsa, & Funk) |
| Aug. 12 | 6:30-8:30 p.m. | Too Smooth (Soul, R&B, & Top 40 Hits) |

The Performance Pavilion is located in Central Park (Lake Elizabeth) near the Fremont Community Center, 40204 Paseo Padre Parkway. For more information about the Summer Concert Series, please contact the City's Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 494-4300 or go to Fremont.gov/Concerts.

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